

DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Senator Saulsbury, Bay of Fundy, 190 bbls salt mackerel.
Sch. Ramona, Bay of Fundy, 80 bbls. salt mackerel.
Sloop Beulah Maud, netting, 190 fresh mackerel.
Sloop Messenger, netting, 70 fresh mackerel.

Vessels Sailed.

Sch. Electric Flash, seining.
Sch. Agnes E. Downes, seining.
Sch. Alice M. Parsons, seining.
Sch. Dreadnaught, seining.
Sch. Pauline, Georges.
Sch. Jennie B. Hodgdon, seining.
Sch. Harry L. Belden, seining.

To-day's Market.

Board of Trade prices: large handline Georges cod, \$4.00 per cwt., medium do., \$3.25; large trawl Georges, \$3.75, medium do., \$3.00; handline cod from deck caught east of Cape Sable, \$3.75; medium do., \$3.00; large trawl bank cod, \$3.25; medium do., \$2.75 large dory handline cod, \$3.50, medium do., \$3.

Splitting prices, large cod, \$2.00; medium do., \$1.50; snapper do., 40 cts.; cusk, \$1.50; snapper do., 40 cts.; haddock, \$1.00; hake, \$1.00; pollock, 60 cts.

Outside sales of shack fish, \$2.00 per cwt. for large cod, \$1.50 for market cod, \$1.50 for cusk, \$1.00 for hake, \$1.00 for haddock, 60 cents for pollock.

Outside sales bank cod, \$3.50 per cwt for large and \$3.00 for mediums

Rips cod, \$3 7-8 per cwt. for large and \$2 7-8 for mediums.

Salt mackerel, Bay of Fundy, \$10 50 bbl.; Georges, plain, \$11.25 per bbl., rimmed, \$12 50; Matinicus rimmed, \$13 per bbl. in fare lots.

Fresh mackerel, 9 and 2 1-2 cts. each for large and tinkers.

Swordfish 10 cents per lb.

Bank halibut 13 cts. per lb. for white and 9 cts. for gray.

Fletched halibut, 6 cts. per lb.

Boston

Aug. 14—Ar., sch. Rose Cabral, 115,000 haddock, 7000 cod.

Sch. Frank Foster, 10,000 haddock, 7000 cod, 500 hake.

Sch. Golden Eagle, 1500 mixed fish.

Haddock, \$4; large cod, \$4.75; market cod, \$2.50.

Mackerel News.

The fare of sch. Dreadnaught sold to the Andrews Co. at \$11.25 per bbl.

The fare of sch. Alva sold to S. G. Poole & Son.

The fare of sch. Eliza H. Parkhurst sold to Slade Gorton & Co. at \$10.50 per bbl.

Shore fishermen report mackerel on the Cod ledges off Portland.

Steamer F. S. Willard, which arrived at Portland Tuesday, had 50 barrels of salt mackerel and 40 barrels of fresh mackerel. Capt. McKown reports the fish very scarce and what few were seen were wild. A fleet of 40 vessels was off Monhegan and not doing well, the only large catch of the fleet having been made by sch. Fanny S. Orne.

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Sch. Golden Hope, Sable Island Bank, 50,000 lbs. cod, 60,000 lbs. fresh cod.
Sch. Anglo Saxon, Labrador Coast, 40,000 lbs. halibut.
Sch. James A. Garfield, Bay of Fundy, 20 bbls. salt mackerel.
Sch. Ellen F. Gleason, Bay of Fundy, 150 bbls. salt mackerel.
Sch. Northern Eagle, Maine Coast, 45 bbls. salt mackerel, 40 bbls. fresh mackerel.
Sch. Geneva Mertis, Boston Bay, 90 bbls. fresh mackerel.

Vessels Sailed.

Sch. Horace B. Parker, shacking.
Sch. Joseph W. Lufkin, seining.
Sch. Georgie Campbell, salt fishing.
Sch. Lottie G. Merchant, seining.
Sch. Pythian, shacking.
Sch. Henry W. Longfellow, seining.
Sch. Flirt, shacking.
Sch. S. P. Willard, salt fishing.

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Fresh mackerel, 6 3-4 cents each.

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Bank halibut, 11 cts. per lb. for white and 8 cts. for gray.

Swordfish 10 cents per lb.

Fletched halibut, 6 cts. per lb.

Boston

Aug. 15—Ar., sch. Bessie, 7000 cod, 2000 pollock.

Sch. Boyd and Leeds, 27,000 cod.

Sch. Sarah C. Wharf, 2500 haddock, 2000 cod, 2000 cusk.

Sch. Angielena, 300 bbls. fresh mackerel.

Sch. Clara R. Harwood, 20,000 haddock, 4000 cod, 4000 hake.

Sch. Leander F. Gould, 90 bbls. salt mackerel, 150 bbls. fresh mackerel.

Sch. Julia Costa, 10,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 2000 hake.

Steamer Hurricane, 300 bbls. fresh mackerel.

Sch. Benj. F. Phillips, 20,000 haddock, 16,000 cod, 1200 hake.

Sch. Manomet, 350 bbls. fresh mackerel.

Sch. Sylvia M. Nunan, 48 swordfish.

Str. A. B. Nickerson, 250 bbls. fresh mackerel.

Sch. I. J. Merritt, Jr., 2500 haddock, 2200 cod.

Swampscott traps, 1200 fresh mackerel.

Haddock, \$4.50; large cod, \$4.50; market cod, \$2.40 to \$2.75; pollock, \$1.50; swordfish, 9 cts. per lb.; fresh mackerel, 7 cts. each; Nova Scotia mackerel, 6 cts. each.

ARCTIC TERROR

Capt. Robert Porper Bril.
from Frozen North.

ALL THE FLETCHERS SPOA

Anglo Saxon Threatened; w
Destruction in the Ice Floe.

It is an interesting story which Capt. Robert Porper of sch. Anglo Saxon brings from the far north, a tale of ice, and lots of it, in the middle of our summer. The vessel has 40,000 pounds of halibut, and few of those who will eat these choice fish will have any idea of the trials and danger attendant to securing them.

Capt. Porper is one of those quiet, gentlemanly fellows who seldom says much, but when he does it is certain to be something of a nature sure to be interesting. This morning he gave a TIMES representative an account of the trip just completed.

About five weeks ago the vessel sailed from this port on a fresh halibut trip. Bait was secured at Newfoundland and the vessel sailed up the west coast of Newfoundland, bound through the Straits of Belle Isle for the fishing grounds far to the north, off the coast of Labrador.

Considerable ice was encountered in the straits, but the vessel managed to wiggle along. Out toward the mouth of the straits it was quite thick, but there was a little clear water in shore, so here the vessel was headed and sailed right

along the northern Newfoundland coast.

One evening but little ice was seen and it looked like clear water ahead. About midnight, however, chunks of ice began to be made ahead, but the vessel was steered clear of them. Morning, however, brought a different scene, and instead of clear water and scattering bits of ice, it was one solid floe east, west, north and south, as far as the eye could reach in either direction.

The vessel was now at the mouth of the straits, out near Belle Isle. There was no way to turn, no avenue of escape, and the trim fishing craft was in the predicament of many a dauntless Arctic exploring craft—completely at the mercy of the ice floe.

The vessel's progress through the great thick field of icy blocks became slower and slower until it was altogether barred and the craft moved only at the whim of the great frozen field. One huge block wedged itself under the bow of the vessel, lifting her out of water forward to a dangerous extent. There was a heavy swell rolling in, which naturally caused the vessel to pound hard on the ice beneath.

The gravity of the situation impressed itself on all hands. They realized that their vessel was in momentary danger of becoming wrecked and that disaster in their present position meant nothing less than death to all hands. In this extremity Capt. Porper and his men did not lose their courage, but with clear heads, stout hearts and willing hands began the work of extricating their vessel from her perilous position.

So while the vessel was pounding fearfully upon the ice, they got out hawsers and warps and ran them astern, making the ends fast in the ice. Then they began to heave in and after much labor succeeded in moving their craft astern and off the dangerous block under her fore foot.